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In re PATENT APPLICATION of:  
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Title: CHARGING DEVICE FOR TRANSFERRING INFORMATION TO THE  
COLLECTION OF A TOLL ON A MOVING BODY

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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF PATENT OFFICE RECORDS**

It is noted that the Official Filing Receipt and USPTO records have the incorrect filing date for the priority document no. JP 11-168340. The filing date in the USPTO records is listed as June 15, 1998. The correct filing date of JP 11-168340 is June 15, 1999.

Applicants respectfully request that the USPTO correct the filing date of JP 11-168340 as June 15, 1999. A copy of the Priority Document Submission page, the first page of the Priority Document, and a copy of the USPTO priority information obtained from Pair showing the inaccurate date is enclosed.

Additionally, a Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3) is submitted herewith to correct the claim for priority. Upon grant of the Petition, it is requested that PCT/JP99/05580 be removed as a foreign priority document and be listed as an international priority document in accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §§ 365(c) and 120.

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Sir:

Please accept the enclosed certified copy(ies) of the respective foreign application(s) listed below for which benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 has been previously claimed in the subject application and if not is hereby claimed.

<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Country of Origin</u>	<u>Filed</u>
10-288301	Japan	October 9, 1998
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